GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

EFS&T Department - Eco-Tourism - Strengthening of Eco-Tourism Wing in the office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad - Administrative arrangements - Orders - Issued.

Environment, Forests , Science & Technology (Sec.V) Department

G.O.RT.No. 30 Dated: 21-01-2016

ORDER:

Government have decided to strengthen the Eco-Tourism Wing in the office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad and accordingly direct the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad to designate one of the Addl.PCCF/Chief Conservator of Forests as Addl.PCCF/Chief Conservator of Forests(Eco-Tourism) who shall head the Eco-Tourism Wing and be entrusted with the job of promoting Eco-Tourism including the functions as mentioned below. The Eco-Tourism Wing will function administratively under the Forest Department and functionally it should work in close co-ordination with the Tourism Department.

1. Development of Zoos as Tourist attractions including Night rides.
2. Making Nandanvanam being developed by the Forest department in each district as must visit Eco Tourism destinations.
3. Development of Tiger Safari in Srisailam Tiger reserve and Jungle resorts at various appropriate locations to serve the wild life Eco-Tourism.
4. Development of Elephant Safari at Kuppam.
5. Development of Deer Park at appropriate locations.
6. Development of all Bird Sanctuaries including Pulicat, Nelapattu, Kolleru, Telineelapuram etc.
7. Development of Coringa Mangroves as Eco-Tourism destination.
8. Development of HOPE Island as Eco-Tourism destination.
9. Development of Jungle resorts, Jungle trail, Mountaineering, Rock climbing etc., at various appropriate locations.
10. Development of other Eco-Tourism destination, especially based on other wildlife, and other natural features.

2. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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To
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